**Statement**

| Sl. No. | Name of the High Courts | Civil | Criminal | Total (As on 30-6-98) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Allahabad(*) | 724530 | 140925 | 865455 |
| 2. | Andhra Pradesh | 133964 | 6723 | 140687 |
| 3. | Bombay(@) | 220370 | 19523 | 239893 |
| 4. | Calcutta | 253872 | 31970 | 285842 |
| 5. | Delhi | 152183 | 12222 | 164405 |
| 6. | Gauhati(@) | 29802 | 4403 | 34205 |
| 7. | Gujarat | 106288 | 15644 | 121932 |
| 8. | Himachal Pradesh | 11601 | 2497 | 14098 |
| 9. | J & K | 94014 | 3651 | 97665 |
| 10. | Karnataka | 100303 | 4762 | 105065 |
| 11. | Kerala | 260924 | 9706 | 270630 |
| 12. | Madhya Pradesh | 54607 | 34117 | 88724 |
| 13. | Madras | 312281 | 24352 | 336633 |
| 14. | Orissa(@) | 82278 | 7010 | 89288 |
| 15. | Patna | 65939 | 13543 | 79482 |
| 16. | Punjab & Haryana | 142031 | 24293 | 166324 |
| 17. | Rajasthan | 81137 | 18072 | 99209 |
| 18. | Sikkim | 421 | 16 | 437 |
| | | 2826545 | 373429 | 3199974 |

(*) As on 31st December, 1996
(@) As on 31st March, 1998

| Supreme Court | No. of cases pending | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Civil | Criminal | Total |
| As on 1.5.98 | 16167 | 3394 | 19561 |

**Implementation of Electoral Reforms**

1042. SHRI GOVINDRAO ADIK: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Law Comission has submitted its report to Government suggesting radical electoral reforms;

(b) if so, the details of major recommendation made and implications thereof;

(c) what is the reaction of the Government, Election Commission and major National/Regional Political Parties to these recommendations; and

(d) the details of time schedule worked out for finalisation and implementation of the Electoral Reforms?

THE MINISTER OF LAW JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI M. THAMBI DURAI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

**Short Term Measure for meeting Demand of Power**

1043. SHRI LAJPAT RAI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has in the recent past reviewed the power situation in the country;